



## Joint Information Center – JIC Release No. 991

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### 339th COVID-19-related Fatality Reported; COVID-19 Test Results: 117 New Cases, 23 Hospitalized; Food Commodities Distribution Continues March 17

#### 339th COVID-19-related Fatality Reported

Today, the Joint Information Center was notified that Guam's 339th COVID-19-related fatality was pronounced dead on arrival at the Guam Memorial Hospital on March 14, 2022. The patient was an 87-year-old male, vaccinated with a booster, with underlying health conditions and tested positive on March 14.

"We are saddened that our days of grief and loss have yet to end, especially as today marks two years since we confirmed our first cases of this deadly virus. To his family and friends, Jeff, Josh, and I extend our sympathies and pray you find peace and comfort," said Governor Lou Leon Guerrero. "While we are seeing a downward trend in cases and we remain hopeful for brighter days ahead, there are still vulnerable groups in our community who are at risk of severe illness and death. These groups need our extra care and attention. In addition to getting vaccinated and boosted, please continue to wear your mask, wash your hands, and watch your distance."

#### COVID-19 Test Results: 117 New Cases

Today, the Department of Public Health and Social Services (DPHSS) reported **117** new cases of COVID-19 from **747** specimens analyzed on March 14, 2022. To date, there have been a total of **46,528** officially reported cases, **339** deaths, **1,909** cases in active isolation, and **44,280** not in active isolation.

#### 23 Hospitalized for COVID-19

CENSUS as of 5 p.m.	GMH	GRMC	USNH	TOTAL
COVID-19 Admission	8	14	1	<b>23</b>
Pediatric Admissions	0	-	-	<b>0</b>
ICU	1	0	0	<b>1</b>
Ventilator	1	0	0	<b>1</b>

VACCINATION STATUS	VACCINATED	UNVACCINATED	INELIGIBLE (0-4 years old)
Hospitalized	18	5	0
Total in Population*	135,544	6,063	12,229
Rate per 100,000 Population	13	82	0

**SPECIAL NOTE:** Based on today's data, if we were to compare two (2) hypothetical populations of 100,000 people each, vaccinated versus unvaccinated, there would be 13 vaccinated people hospitalized for COVID-19 compared to 82 unvaccinated people hospitalized for COVID-19. The risk of being hospitalized for COVID-19 is about 6 times higher for the unvaccinated as compared to the vaccinated.

\*Estimated population is based on DPHSS Immunization Program analysis of 2020 Census data. Updates are expected pending further Census 2020 data breakdown.

## FREE COVID-19 VACCINATION CLINICS (AGES 5 AND OVER)

FIRST DOSES, SECOND DOSES, AND BOOSTER SHOTS AVAILABLE

Pfizer-BioNTech, Moderna, Johnson & Johnson

<b>Monday through Saturday</b> 11 a.m. - 5 p.m.	<b>Agana Shopping Center (2nd Floor)</b> <b>Register: <a href="https://tinyurl.com/vaxguam">tinyurl.com/vaxguam</a></b> Walk-ins are welcome, but appointments will be expedited. Bring appointment confirmation and proof of identity. Last appointment is 30 minutes before closing.
<b>Monday through Saturday</b> 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.	<b>DPHSS Southern Region Community Health Center (SRCHC), Inalåhan</b> Call (671) 828-7604/5/7518 to schedule an appointment. Last appointment is 30 minutes before closing. Walk-ins welcome. Curbside vaccination available for people with disabilities. <b>Register at <a href="https://tinyurl.com/covidstopswithme">tinyurl.com/covidstopswithme</a></b>
	<b>DPHSS Northern Region Community Health Center (NRCHC), Dededo</b> Call 671-635-4418/7400 to schedule an appointment. Last appointment is 30 minutes before closing. Walk-ins welcome. Curbside vaccination available for people with disabilities. <b>Register at <a href="https://tinyurl.com/covidstopswithme">tinyurl.com/covidstopswithme</a></b>
<b>Mar. 16, 2022</b> 3 p.m. - 6 p.m.	<b>Liguan Elementary and Juan M. Guerrero Elementary School at Liguan Elementary</b> After-school vaccination clinic open to the community. Walk-ins welcome. Minors must have birth certificate, parents must have government-issued photo ID.
<b>Mar. 17, 2022</b> 3 p.m. - 6 p.m.	<b>Harry S. Truman Elementary and Marcial A. Sablan Elementary School at Harry S. Truman Elementary</b> After-school vaccination clinic open to the community. Walk-ins welcome. Minors must have birth certificate, parents must have government-issued photo ID.
<b>Mar. 18, 2022</b> 3 p.m. - 6 p.m.	<b>J.Q. San Miguel Elementary School</b> After-school vaccination clinic open to the community. Walk-ins welcome. Minors must have birth certificate, parents must have government-issued photo ID.

## FREE COVID-19 COMMUNITY TESTING

Fill out a [COVID-19 Testing Patient Assessment Form](#) ahead of time, available at [dphss.guam.gov/covid-19-testing](https://dphss.guam.gov/covid-19-testing).

<b>Monday, Wednesday, and Friday</b> 8 a.m. to 3 p.m.  <b>Saturdays:</b> 8 a.m. - 11 a.m.	<b>Old Carnival Grounds, Tiyan, Barrigada</b> COVID-19 testing will be offered by appointment through <a href="https://tinyurl.com/covidstopswithme">tinyurl.com/covidstopswithme</a> . <b>Four adults per vehicle.</b> Bring a photo ID. Travel-related testing will not be offered. <b>NO SYMPTOMS NEEDED TO TEST FOR COVID-19</b>
<b>Monday through Saturday:</b> 9 a.m. - 12 p.m.	<b>DPHSS Southern Region Community Health Center (SRCHC), Inalåhan</b> By appointment only for individuals with COVID-like symptoms. Four adults per vehicle. Bring a photo ID. Travel-related testing not offered. Call (671) 828-7604/5/7518. Register at <a href="https://tinyurl.com/covidstopswithme">tinyurl.com/covidstopswithme</a>
	<b>DPHSS Northern Region Community Health Center (NRCHC), Dededo</b> By appointment only for individuals with COVID-like symptoms. Four adults per vehicle. Bring a photo ID. Travel-related testing not offered. Call (671) 635-7525/6 to schedule an appointment.

## Food Commodities Distribution Continues

GDOE, State Agency for the Emergency Food Assistance Program (TEFAP) under the U.S. Department of Agriculture Food Nutrition Service distribution will be available to village

constituents only on a first-come, first-served basis. Distribution is limited to three households per vehicle at the sites. Face masks must be worn; bring a photo ID.

Date	Location	Distribution Method - While Supplies Last	# of Bags
Thursday, Mar. 17, 2022	Mangilao	Drive-thru distribution will begin at 8 a.m. at the Mangilao Night Market Grounds for Mangilao constituents only, while supplies last. For more information, contact the Mangilao Mayor's Office at 671-734-2163.	500
	Mongmong-Toto-Maite	Drive-thru distribution is from 9 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. and Door-to-Door distribution for Senior Citizens and individuals with disabilities will be delivered after 1 p.m. for Mongmong-Toto-Maite constituents only, while supplies last. For more information, contact the Mayor's Office at 671-477-6758/9090.	400
	Barrigada	Drive-thru distribution is from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Barrigada Library Parking Lot for Barrigada constituents only, while supplies last. For more information, contact the Mayor's Office at 671-734-3737/3859.	750
	Inalåhan	Drive-thru distribution for Inalåhan constituents only is from 4 p.m. - 8 p.m. at the Inalåhan Mayor's Office, while supplies last. Any remaining food commodities will be issued the following day from 8 a.m. - 11 a.m. For more information and Senior Citizens or individuals with a disability requiring accommodations can contact the Mayor's Office at 671-475-2509 or 671-828-0288.	500

Pick-Up/ Delivery Date	Organization	Distribution Method	No. of Clients/ Families/ Household
Wednesday, March 16, 2022	Adult Day Care	Food commodities will be provided, in bulk, to organization and will be distributed directly to their clients/families/households.	80

### Mangilao mAb Treatment Center

Monoclonal antibody therapy (mAb) treatment is available at the mAb Treatment Center at the Mangilao Senior Citizens Center from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m Monday through Saturday. Patients must receive a referral from a physician to qualify for treatment at this center. To schedule an appointment, call (671) 998-4627, within 10 days of when symptoms started for best results.

### Guam COVID-19 Vaccination Update

As of March 14, 2022, a total of **135,544** of Guam's eligible population (residents 5 years and older) is fully vaccinated. This total includes **13,524** residents 12 – 17 years old. **7,639** residents 5 – 11 years old received their first dose of the Pfizer-BioNTech two dose series. **5,829** residents 5 – 11 years old have completed their two-dose series. An additional **107** residents received their booster shots and a total of **56,173** booster shots have been administered to eligible residents since September 29, 2021.

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